

17 July 1964

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Support Staff

ATTENTION : Chief, Security Branch

THROUGH : Chief, Development Branch, P&DS

SUBJECT : Consignee Address for "Change
Detector," Contract [redacted]

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1. Contract Number [redacted] is for the design and fabrication of a
"Change Detector" [redacted]

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This device is expected to arrive in the Washington area during the
week of 10 August 1964. The physical characteristics of the device
are described in the enclosed "Installation Engineering" form. The
total CPFF cost to the Government is [redacted]

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2. At present the contract states the "Consignee Address" to be
the Property and Supply Officer, [redacted]

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[redacted] The contract also states that the equipment "shall be delivered
to the Government F.O.B. destination at which such supplies or equipment
are to be finally inspected". If the Change Detector is delivered to the

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[redacted] facility the Government's responsibility begins at the time the
equipment arrives at Receiving Dock Number 2, even though it will not
be "finally inspected" until it has been transported to [redacted]

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assembled and tested. The major components consist of one optical-mechanical
and one electronic section. The optical-mechanical section also contains
some electronic components and many motors which have precision, high-
speed, gear trains. The electronic section includes two large cathode
ray tubes which were designed and produced especially for this equipment.

3. Because of the high cost of this equipment to the Government,
the desirability to reduce avoidable handling of relatively delicate
apparatus to a minimum and the responsibility of the Government once it
has accepted the equipment, it is considered advisable to have the
Change Detector delivered directly to [redacted] By so doing the
Contractor remains responsible for the equipment until it has been
assembled and "finally inspected".

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4. It is requested that your Branch authorize delivery of the Change Detector by commercial van directly

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